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ST. *James's*, *May* 4. The following Addreſſes have been preſented to Her Majeſty.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Bailiffs, Aldermen, Burgeſſes, and other Inhabitants of your Majeſty's ancient Corporation of Morpeth, *in the County of* Northumberland; *preſented to her Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Earl of* Sunderland.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

SInce we were firſt bleſt with the unexpreſſible Happineſs of being govern'd by the beſt of Queens, we have been reſolv'd, with the greateſt Chearfulneſs, againſt all Oppoſers to Sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes in Defence of your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon and Government, and the holy and ancient Religion of the Church of *England* which we profeſs.

Thus our Hearts and Affections ſtood when we were lately threaten'd from Abroad by a Popiſh Pretender, and a *French* Power, tho' at the ſame time at Home, and on our own Borders, we were naked and weak, and ſome of the firſt of your old *Engliſh* Subjects who had reaſon to expect the Rage and Fury of thoſe Invaders, but to our great Joy we ſoon heard their pernicious and ſo much boaſted Deſigns had proved Abortive; upon this Occaſion we do heartily Congratulate your Majeſty, and return our moſt humble and unfeign'd Thanks for thoſe Naval Preparations, which by your wiſe and excellent Conduct were ſo expeditiouſly ſet out for our Deliverance.

This remarkable Defeat, as it will, we doubt not, effectually convince the Enemies of the Proteſtant Succeſſion, and the *Britiſh* Union, that all their Projects and Attempts for the future, to weaken and overturn them, will be in vain; ſo we hope it will be a powerful means to oblige the Inhabitants of this famous Iſland to unite and join their Intereſts more heartily, and more cloſe than ever, in Defence of both. We for our Parts ſhall always retain ſo juſt a Senſe of thoſe important Bleſſings, that nothing in our Powers ſhall be wanting to ſecure them to our ſelves and late Poſterity, and like faithful and obedient Subjects, be ready upon all Occaſions to do every thing elſe that may advance the Grandeur and Glory of your Reign. Given under our Common Seal the 22d Day of *April*, Anno Dom. 1708.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Deputy-Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common-Council, Free Burghers and other Inhabitants of your Majeſty's ancient and loyal Borough of Appleby, *in the County of* Weſtmorland; *preſented to her Majeſty by the Lord* Wharton.

Dread Sovereign,

WE can never enough admire the Princely Virtues that ſhine in your Royal Soul, nor ſufficiently acknowledge our great Obligations to Heaven, for placing us under your Scepter; your Conſummate Prudence, and that excellent Spirit of Government which God has given you in ſuch a plentiful meaſure, and by which you are ſo eminently diſtinguiſh'd among the great Potentates of the Earth, has juſtly ſpread your Fame far and wide, and procur'd you an univerſal Honour and Veneration Abroad; and your unparallel'd Goodneſs, Juſtice and Clemency have Eſtabliſh'd your Throne ſo firmly in the Affections of your People at Home, that we dare venture to ſay with ſome Aſſurance, all the Powers upon Earth will never be able to ſhake it.

You Reign in our Hearts (Madam) by an abſolute Power, which you manage ſo much to our Satisfaction, that we find a ſubſtantial Pleaſure in our Obedience. We humbly hope there is no need to proteſt our Abhorrence of that baſe and perfidious Attempt lately made by the Common Enemy to Invade your Dominions, and impoſe a Popiſh Pretender upon us; for, give us leave (moſt Gracious Sovereign) to aſſure your Majeſty that we have not renounc'd either our Religion or our Reaſon, nor do we find any Symptoms of Infatuation upon us; we are not fallen in Love either with Popery or Slavery, nor are we in the leaſt Ambitious of the Liberties and Privileges of *French* Subjects.

We are ſo entirely well ſatisfied with our own happy Conſtitution of Government (eſpecially whilſt the Adminiſtration of it is in your Gracious Hand) that we are ſteadfaſtly and unanimouſly reſolv'd to ſtand by your undoubted Right to the laſt Extremities, and to dye at your Royal Feet in Defence of your Crown and Dignity.

In the mean time (Madam) give us leave to offer up our ſincere and hearty Prayers to Heaven for the Preſervation of your precious Life, and for the long continuance of thoſe many great and inеſtimable Bleſſings, which not only your own happy Subjects, but all *Europe* enjoys under your Majeſty's moſt glorious and auſpicious Reign.

The humble Addreſs of the Juſtices of the Peace, Deputy-Sheriff, and the Grand-Jury, at the General Quarter-Seſſions of the Peace holden at Appleby *for the County of* Weſtmorland, *the* 12*th Day of* April, *in the ſeventh Year of her Majeſty's Reign*, Anno Dom. 1708; *preſented to her Majeſty by the Lord* Wharton.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

IT is with the greateſt Satisfaction that we look upon the invaluable Happineſs of your Majeſty's Adminiſtration; and 'tis with the like Indignation that we reflect upon the bold Attempt of a Popiſh Pretender to Invade your Dominions, therefore do humbly beg leave to aſſure your Majeſty, that we will voluntarily Sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes in the Defence of your Majeſty's moſt juſt Right and Title to the Imperial Crown of theſe Realms; and that when your Majeſty ſhall be pleas'd to call a new Parliament, it ſhall be our Care to make choice of ſuch Perſons to repreſent us, as are of unqueſtionable Loyalty to your Majeſty, and of undoubted Zeal for the Eſtabliſh'd Religion, who are well affected to the late Glorious Revolution, will confirm and improve the happy Advantages of our Union, and will effectually ſupport your Majeſty in bringing this preſent War to a ſafe and honourable Concluſion.

May the King of Kings take your moſt Sacred Majeſty into his peculiar Protection, may he proſper your Arms, and Crown all your Undertakings with Succeſs, that you may long continue to protect your good Subjects and Allies, and be a Terror and Scourge to the Common Oppreſſor, and to all the reſt of your Foreign and Domeſtick Enemies, and at laſt change your Temporal for an Eternal Crown of Glory.

All which Addreſſes her Majeſty receiv'd very graciouſly.

Turin, April 18. *N. S.* The Mareſchal de Staremberg, ſince his Arrival here, has had the Honour to be very often in private with his Royal Highneſs, who, as a Mark of his great Conſideration for this Officer, did order him to be lodg'd in the Houſe of General Grondano, which is uſually appointed for the Reception of Embaſſadors Extraordinary. He is ſerv'd at the Duke's Expence, by his Royal Highneſs's own Officers; and all the Foreign Miniſters at this Court have entertain'd him ſeparately in their own Houſes. The Britiſh and Dutch Envoys have regulated Matters with him, concerning the neceſſary Diſpoſitions for facilitating the Subſiſtance and ſpeedy Embarkation of the Troops deſign'd for the Service in Catalonia, as ſoon as Sir John Leake ſhall with his Squadron arrive in theſe Seas. On the 18th of the laſt Month his Royal Highneſs ſet out for Suza, in order to viſit that important Poſt, and examine the Works he had order'd this Winter for the Defence of that Place, which he is reſolv'd to put in ſuch a poſture, as may ſecure it againſt any Inſults after the melting of the Snow: His Royal Highneſs has gone thither ſooner than he deſign'd, that he might have the Opinion of Marſhal de Staremberg, and that of Major-General Belcaſtle's, on the proper Meaſures to be taken for the Defence of the Place: Both theſe Officers accompany him thither, and their Skill and Experience in all the Parts of Fortification give his Royal Highneſs Hopes of perfecting the Strength of that Fortreſs. The great Rains we have had of late being ceas'd, and the Ways being more practicable, his Royal Highneſs has begun to make ſuch Movements as are judg'd moſt proper to amuze the French, and by the Marches and Countermarches of his Troops, hinder them from the Knowledge of his Meaſures. The Regiment of the Croix Blanche, which had been here during the Winter, march'd out hence the other Day for the Valley of Aoſt, in order to relieve the Regiment of Salluces, which is to be ſent to a Poſt of leſs fatigue, in order to their Refreſhment before they go into the Field. The Regiment of Des Porres, which was in Garriſon at Alexandria, is likewiſe on their march thither, where his Royal Highneſs deſigns to ſend ſix Battalions under the Command of Major-General Schulemburg, to make ſuch a Diverſion on that Frontier, as may prevent the Enemies executing any thing againſt Suza. We hear that General Frankenburg is upon his Way hither, where the Elector Palatine has appointed him to relieve the Count de Schellard, Major-General of that Body of Horſe which his Electoral Highneſs has here in the Britiſh and Dutch Pay, and which are to be tranſported into Catalonia. His Royal Highneſs, upon his Arrival at Suza, was pleas'd to declare the Baron de St. Remi, who commands there, Major-General of his Troops, in the Room of Count de la Roque, who by the laſt Promotion had been rais'd to the Rank of Lieutenant-General. His Royal Highneſs took this Occaſion both to teſtifie his Approbation of the Baron's Conduct in that Frontier Poſt during the Winter, and alſo give him this Mark of his Favour for the diſtinguiſhing Services he perform'd during the Siege of this Capital.

Vienna, April 28. The Day that the Queen of Spain reſted at Haderſtorf, ſhe preſented the young Archdutcheſs, eldeſt Daughter to the preſent Emperor, to be confirmed by the Cardinal of Saxe-Zeits, and gave her upon that Occaſion the additional Name of Elizabeth. Couriers go and come daily with mutual Compliments between this Court and that of her Catholick Majeſty, who lyes this Night at Amſtetten. Two Days ago the great Maſter of the Teutonick Order, Brother to the Empreſs Dowager, arrived here from Sileſia, and is lodg'd in the Imperial Palace. General Kriechbaum is ſet out for Tranſilvania, where he is to command the Imperial Forces in the Place of General Rabutin, who is ſuddenly expected here. They write from Hungary, that the Malecontents are holding an Aſſembly at Caſchaw, and that Monſieur Bonac, the French Miniſter, had Orders to repair thither from Poland. The Imperialiſts have reinforc'd Trenſchin, Sereth, and other Places, that they may be the better able to ſtop the Excurſions of the Enemy. A Party of the Malecontents has been lately defeated within two German Miles of Presburg.

Berne, April 21. *N. S.* It is ſaid, that Mr de Puiſieux has receiv'd the French King's Ratification of the Treaty of Neutrality for Neufchatel; but this Buſineſs is no ſooner ended, than that of Tockenburgh, which was thought to have been wholly adjuſted, is broke out again with greater Violence than before, and may poſſibly endan-

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